

## Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 DAKAR 05410 241523Z

65

ACTION COME-00

INFO OCT-01 AF-08 ISO-00 EB-07 /016 W  
----- 105250

R 241441Z AUG 76  
FM AMEMBASSY DAKAR  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6300

UNCLAS DAKAR 5410D

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, SG

SUBJ: U.S. GROUP TO FINANCE HOUSING PROJECT IN SENEGAL

1. EMBASSY WAS VISITED BY MR. J.J. PAUWEN,AMCIT, REPRESENTING LCM CORP, BELGIAN CONSTRUCTION FIRM, CONCERNING PROJECT TO INSTALL PREFAB HOUSING PLANT IN SENEGAL. ACCORDING TO PAUWEN, U.S. FINANCIAL GROUP HEADED BY MR. RAMISH RAO (2373 N.W. LA JUNNE ROAD, MIAMI 33148, TEL 216-286-6105) IS TO LEND GOS \$50 MILLION TO CONSTRUCT A FACTORY FOR PREFAB HOUSES WITH INTENT TO ERECT 15,000 HOUSES IN FIVE YEAR PERIOD. PAUWEN HAS SET UP SOCIETE OUEST AFRICAINE DES BETONS INDUSTRIELS (SOABI) IN PARTNERSHIP WITH GOS AND LCM TO CARRY OUT PROJECT AND INDICATES THAT ALL MATERIAL WILL BE BOUGHT FROM U.S.

2. REQUEST COMMERCE CONTACT MR. RAO AND INFORM HIM THAT GOS MINISTRY OF FINANCE LETTER NUMBER 90 SP OF JULY 15, 1976 ADDRESSED TO MR RAO, HAS BEEN SIGNED BY MINISTER, AUTHORISING MR. BAUDOUX AND MR. PETERS OF SOABI TO BORROW \$50 MILLION FOR PERIOD OF 20 YEARS AT 8.75 PERCENT INTEREST, TO REALISE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS IN SENEGAL. ALSO REQUEST ANY INFORMATION COMMERCE MAY BE ABLE TO DEVELOP CONCERNING MR. RAO.  
DAVIS

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** n/a  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 24 AUG 1976  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** n/a  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** n/a  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:**  
**Disposition Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1976DAKAR05410  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Film Number:** D760323-0503  
**From:** DAKAR  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1976/newtext/t19760827/aaaaawjm.tel  
**Line Count:** 49  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Office:** ACTION COME  
**Original Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 1  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** n/a  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** cahillha  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 01 APR 2004  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <01 APR 2004 by ReddocGW>; APPROVED <28 JAN 2005 by cahillha>  
**Review Markings:**

Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
04 MAY 2006

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** U.S. GROUP TO FINANCE HOUSING PROJECT IN SENEGAL  
**TAGS:** BEXP, SG  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006